

13, ex- 3.1 "urea formation" (19/60).

In the telephonic interview held September 9, the Examiner said that this election would be acceptable.

The "Feuston 3" structure is a heterocycle. However, Gly and Asp (the chemical entities of the other two building blocks for the elected Feuston 5 molecule) are not heterocycles.


We ask that the examiner confirm that examination will not be limited to molecules in which all the building blocks are heterocycles.

In addition, if the examiner finds "further specificity" required, then we wish to shift our election of the building block from the heterocyclic compound shown in Fig. 13 ex. 3.1 (19/60) to a building block comprising the Feuston 3 (Fig. 30, structure 1) heterocycle. This is necessary for the building block and molecule elections to be consistent.

5. Claims 51 and 66-81 read upon the elected species of molecule as well as on the election (after the shift) of building block.

Respectfully submitted,

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